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Come on Canada
BUY VICTORY BONDS

Antrobus Opposed By Easton In Mayoralty Election

Harry W. Clark Passed Away Saturday Morning

Came to Coleman in 1908; Had Been International Timekeeper 28 Years; Veteran of Boer War.

It was with a deep feeling of sadness that citizens heard of the death of Harry Wilton Clark, aged 81, on Saturday morning. His cheery smile and pleasant manner had made him a prime favorite with everyone.

Born at Windsor, England, in 1861, he received his education and grew into manhood in that city. He enlisted in the Royal Horse Artillery and saw service in India, China, and the Boer war. After the Boer war he returned to England and in 1908 with his wife and two sons came to Canada, settling in Coleman where he secured employment with International Coal & Coke Co. as timekeeper. He occupied this position till his retirement in 1936 during which period he met and knew by their first names hundreds of International employees.

He was a member of the Coleman Elks lodge and was a Past Noble Grand of the local Oddfellows lodge. In 1914 he was elected to the local school board. He was a keen student of local and world happenings and could debate on many subjects.

Surviving are his widow and son Harry, general manager of the coal colliery at Mercoal.

The funeral was held from the family residence on Monday at 2 o'clock, a service being conducted in St. Alban's church, by Rev. J. R. Hague. At the graveside the Legion read their burial service, Jack Goulding conducting.

Palbearers were Thomas Higginbotham, Joe Emmerson, W. L. Bippin, A. J. Brown, M. W. Cooke and A. E. Graham.

Both the Legion and the Elks lodge were in attendance. The Legion marched from the club rooms at 130 to the family residence, the burial party including E. Beart, in charge, G. Derbyshire, B. Garrett, J. Goulding, W. Antle, J. Poxton, T. Holstead, J. Nikituk and J. Lowe. Trumpeter James Lowe played the "Last Post" following the Legion service. Due to the mines working the Elks were unable to attend in force. The Legion club room was closed during the funeral.

John Stevuliak has enlisted as a member of a military band.

Roy Beddington, of Lethbridge, formerly of Coleman, has enlisted in the army.

COLEMAN BRANCH, B. E. S. L.

SMOKER

Legion Club Rooms

FRI., FEB. 6

7.30 to 11.30 p.m.

All members are cordially invited to attend.

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Dancing 9 till 12 p.m.

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MANY COLEMANITES ATTENDED LETHBRIDGE-CALGARY GAME ON MONDAY

Among those attending the Lethbridge-Calgary hockey game at Lethbridge on Monday evening were F. Abousaif, A. E. Shor, R. Shone, L. S. Richards, S. C. Short, M. W. Cooke, E. Salvador, R. Pattinson, J. M. Chalmers, A. Haymon, T. McCloy, S. Murdoch, F. Guernard, J. Atkinson, S. Atkinson, R. Spiller, P. A. Dickinson, P. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Collier, H. Eyesack, C. McIsaac and M. Hook. Mild weather plus an exceptionally good hockey game made for a perfect evening's outing.

Brief Sketches Of Civic Candidates

FRED ANTROBUS: First came to Coleman in 1912. Went into business. Moved into another part of the province in later years. Saw service overseas. Came back to Coleman and opened up a business in 1919. From 1920 to 1925 he was an employee of International Coal & Coke Co. first as a miner and then as a fireboss. Went back into business where he has remained. First entered local politics in 1931 and has served continuously since. In 1940 he succeeded J. S. D'Appollonia as mayor, being elected by acclamation. Under his guidance during the past year the town has shown an operating surplus. He is seeking re-election as mayor.

ALEX. EASTON: Came to Coleman in 1904. He entered into business in 1914-16 when he enlisted and saw action overseas. In 1920 he again went into business here for one year. During the past two years he has been steward at the Legion club. Served on the council from 1919-25. Helped organize the first Coleman band in 1906 and that same year helped form Coleman's first fire brigade. Has been active in sports, specializing in football and hockey. He seeks election as mayor.

FRED COX: Came here in 1908 and secured employment at International Coal & Coke Co. Has been with the company ever since as a miner. Has served on several occasions on the International pit committee. On several occasions he has been approached to run for civic office but had always refused until he was allowed his name to be entered for council.

JOHN HOLYK: Born in Calgary, came to Coleman in 1917. Was educated at the local schools and in 1928 went into business with his father and has successfully carried on the management of that business since. Is a member of the Elks lodge. This is his first attempt to seek civic office as a candidate for council. He is on the executive of the Pass Retail Merchants' association.

MICKEY JOYCE: Came to Coleman in 1931. Employed at the International mine. Active in union matters for many years. Was president of both the Home local and the local branch of the U.M.W.A. He has acted on numerous occasions as a member of International pit committee. Has been most active in community work, having been vice-chairman of both the first Victory loan and the present one. He also canvassed the First Loan. Last year he was an active canvasser for both the Red Cross membership drive and the War Savings campaign.

JOHN RAMSAY: Came to Coleman in 1923 and has been employed continuously in the local mines. Was a McGillivray employee from 1923-27 and an employee of the International from 1927 to the present time. Has acted on several occasions as a member of the International pit committee. This is his first attempt at seeking civic office.

WEDDINGS

JOHNSTONE - CHESTER
A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Paul's United Church Tuesday, February 3, at 3 p.m., when Miss Isabel Chester and Mr. William Johnstone, both of Coleman, B.C., were united in marriage. The official witnesses were William W. Chester and Jane Chester, a brother and sister-in-law of the bride.

Four Candidates Contest Two Vacancies on Council; Holly And Snoad Elected to School Board by Acclamation

Voting Will Take Place in Town Hall on Monday, February 9 From 10 a.m. till 7 p.m.; Expect Close Vote Among Candidates For Council.

Ratepayers will vote next Monday for the election of mayor and two councillors. Only two candidates were nominated for vacancies on the school board and were thereby elected by acclamation.

Keenes: Interest in the nominations lay in the fact that Alex. Easton, steward at the Canadian Legion club, will oppose Mayor Antrobus. Mr. Easton served four years on the council from 1919-23. Mayor Antrobus has served many years on the council and the past two years as mayor.

A closely contested race is expected for councillors. The two union sponsored candidates, John Ramsay and Fred Cox, will battle it out with Mickey Joyce and John Holyk. Messrs. Ramsay, Cox and Joyce are all strong union men and all are miners. They enter the political ring for the first time although they have taken a quiet interest in civic affairs for some years. All three are of quiet manner and moderate views. John Holyk is one of the town's youthful business men. He too enters the political arena for the first time.

Messrs. David Holly and George Snoad, union sponsored candidates for the school board, were elected by acclamation. Mr. Holly ran unsuccessfully last year for the council and this will be his first time to serve in civic office. George Snoad is a young man who has grown up in Coleman, attending the local schools. This is also his first term in office.

Town Candidate	Office	Nominated By:
Fred Antrobus	Mayor	James Glenning
Alex. Easton	Mayor	Geo. Bell
John Ramsay	Councillor	M. MacNeill
Fred Cox	Councillor	H. Sherratt
Michael Joyce	Councillor	Mack Sigler
John Holyk	Councillor	W. J. White
School District Candidate	Office	Adam Wilson
David John Holy	Trustee	Fred Fisher
G. H. V. Snoad	Trustee	Fred Antrobus
		Adam Wilson
		John Jankuak
		Nominated By:
		W. J. White
		W. J. MacNeill
		W. J. White
		W. J. MacNeill

Bearcats Triumph Over Miners 4-2

Visitors Much Speedier And More Aggressive Than Locals.

Miners did not look so good on Sunday afternoon in their exhibition game with the Bearcats and absorbed a 4-2 defeat. The visitors were much the faster team and showed more aggressive play in outplaying the locals and were worthy of their win.

Tony DeCocco, long absent from hockey circles, was in goal for Miners and saved many hard shots. Bearcats opened the scoring in the first period when a scramble in front of the Miners' net gave Kubie the opportunity to lift the rubber over DeCocco's outstretched body.

Kanik made it 2-0 midway through the second period when he skated around the defence to easily score. Miners came into the game with seconds left of this frame, Moxell scoring on assists from Jenkins and Kwasenie.

In the third period, Joyce matched Giacumuzzi's goal to end the game 4-2.

A good crowd attended and saw a hotly contested game which was free from many penalties. On numerous occasions the players would overtake the puck due to the ice being a little heavy.

CAPTAIN I. SMITH TO VISIT S.A. HERE ON SUNDAY

Captain I. Smith, officer in charge of the Salvation Army at Fernie, will visit Coleman on Sunday, February 8, when he will conduct the services at the Salvation Army here.

The captain has spent quite a number of years in evangelical work, most of her appointments being in British Columbia. With this experience as a background, she has acquired good understanding of present day problems, and will be bringing practical up-to-date messages.

Meetings commence at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. with Sunday school at 3 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

EAST COLEMAN NOW HAS STREET LIGHTS

The motorist travelling towards Coleman these nights gets the impression that Coleman is quite a large place.

Last week the street lights were turned on in East Coleman in addition to a number on Blairmore Road. These lights, in addition to the town lights, give one an idea of how large Coleman has grown during the past few years.

Local Rinks Doing Well in Crow Bonselpl

Ledie Rink Suffered Four Straight Defeats; Kerr and Leier In Jewellery.

Wednesday morning found the J. Kerr and Ed. Leier rinks smoothly navigating all obstacles in their path at the Crow's Nest bonselpl being played at Bellevue this week.

On Wednesday morning Kerr had won five out of six games and Leier had won four out of five games. Each were in the jewellery of one competition. Ed. Ledie's rink was unfortunate in losing its first four games but managed to salvage the fifth to stay in the 'spiel. Should they win their next game they too would have entered the jewellery of that competition.

Pee Wee Hockey Notes

In a group of exciting games played on Saturday the teams of the local league provided some exceptionally good teamwork and clever playing.

Scores:
Lions, 1; Pattinson's, 0.

The General Electric lost their first game to the Legion when Zima earned a second shut-out. Lions won their first contest with a convincing 5-0 victory over Elks.

League standing:	W	L	G	P	A
Legion	2	1	5	2	4
Pattinson's	2	1	5	3	4
Lions	1	2	7	5	2
Elks	1	2	8	2	

The Slovaks defeated the Shamrocks 5-2 in the best played Midget game of the season. Shamrocks had won the two previous games.

The boys are really deserving of your support and it is hoped that the hockey fans will attend in greater numbers.

Coleman Juveniles and Bellevue Juveniles played to a 3-3 tie at the local arena on Tuesday evening before a fair crowd. The Juvenile ticket sale is meeting with good response from the public. A ticket is good for one game.

St. Paul's United Church, Coleman Sunday, February 8. Minister: Rev. J. E. Kirk.

11 a.m. morning worship, subject: "The Sin of Man." The fourth in the series on our Common Faith.

12.15 p.m., Sunday school; superintendent, J. Decker.
7 p.m., evening worship, subject: "Overcoming Fears and Worries." The second in the series the "Rediscovery of Man." We extend a cordial welcome to these services.

THE PASS MINISTERIAL FELLOWSHIP

Monday, February 2, at 10 a.m., the monthly meeting of the Pass Ministerial Fellowship was held at Pincher Creek United church. Rev. R. E. Pow, of Pincher Creek, led the devotional service, and Rev. V. M. Gilbert, of Macleod, led in an intensive and critical study of the Lord's Prayer. Other ministers present were Rev. R. Axon, Macleod, and Revs. A. E. Arrol, of Blairmore, W. H. Irwin, of Bellevue, and J. E. Kirk, of Coleman. One of our very faithful members, Rev. J. R. Hague, of Coleman, was unable to attend because of ministerial duties at home.

Blairmore Elks Eke Out Win Over Local Elks in Hockey Game

An enthusiastic audience of hockey fans saw the Coleman Elks eke out 10-5 by the Blairmore Elks last Sunday evening. The score, however, was no indication of the play, as time and time again the fast-acting Coleman forwards swooped in on Maniquet, only to have him turn aside their efforts with apparent ease.

The game was featured by the brilliant net-minding of Johnny "Brimstick" Smith, whose sensational saves at crucial moments drew rounds of applause from an appreciative audience.

The prettiest goal of the game came when Wilfrid Dutil the "hard wearing" centre, now of the Coleman crew, went through the whole team on his back, only to rise and fire a sizzling shot at the hapless Maniquet, who had no chance to save.

The famous Blairmore "Kid Line" of Johnson, Vejprava and Kemp, delighted the crowd with their smooth passing plays and whirlwind rushes into Coleman territory.

Coleman's "Kraut" line of Schmidt, Richards and Ferby amazed the fans with their speedy rushes and almost perfect co-ordination, although Schmidt could not control his speed, causing many plays to be called back. This line shows promise of a brilliant future in the N.H.L.

Backed by the sturdy defense of both teams, play was close all the way, with referee Jimmy Joyce watching the "off-side" closely. The Blairmore defense of Vangotsinoven and MacAndrew acted as a bulwark for their team with Vangotsinoven netting 4 of his teammates' counters, ably assisted by "Jack" MacAndrew.

Although Coleman's high-scoring defense-man Joe Pielie did not garner a single point he proved to be the white elephant of the Blairmore team, when he repeatedly broke up dangerous-looking rushes. Joe is commonly known as the "60-minute man of the league."

When regulation time was up, and all the bones given to their rightful owners, there was not a fan in the crowd who did not agree that it was the most thrilling contest ever staged in the Coleman arena.

When these teams "crash" in Blairmore next Sunday night a "killer" diller will be in store for everyone.

Note: Word has just been brought in that Johnny Smith has received three wires from the N.H.L. begging for his services.

However, there has been no official confirmation of this.

Roll out the barrel.

—Contributed.

Former Coleman Oldtimer Passed Away

The death occurred at St. Vincent's hospital on Friday, Jan. 30, of Harry Blake, aged 83. Deceased came to Coleman in 1904 and resided here till 1937 when he moved to Blairmore.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. L. C. Grant, and a stepson, Robert A. Mitchell, both of Coleman. The funeral was held at Pincher Creek on Saturday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our friends for their kindness, words of sympathy and floral offerings in our late bereavement.—Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Grant and Family and Robert A. Mitchell.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

Just a line to thank you for the Coleman Journal while stationed in Canada—sure miss it here.

After transferring to the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals I was

Council Takes Action Against Marauding Dogs

Relief, Old Age Pensions Occupy Attention of Councillors At Last Meeting of Old Council.

The present personnel of the council met in session for the last time Tuesday evening and cleaned up accounts and most of the old business in order to make way for a new council which will be formed following Monday's election. Present Mayor Antrobus, Councillors Abousaif, Balloch and Dutil.

A party who had been on the 3-way relief plan for some time was placed on direct town relief due to age.

A letter was received from Mrs. M. Wilson informing the council that her second daughter had reached the age of sixteen. She asked council to intervene to the provincial government regarding decreasing her Mothers' Allowance grant in order that the daughter might continue her school studies. Council will act on her behalf.

Council was notified that Mrs. Mary Williams, formerly of Coleman, and now resident of Calgary, had been granted the Old Age pension.

At the request of the council, City Manager J. T. Watson, of Lethbridge, listed the price of the Mercury Vapor street lighting lamp as used by Lethbridge. The standard, wiring and lamp cost \$155. Cost of operation was \$3.60 per month.

A strong protest was received by council from a taxpayer on Second street. He complained of numerous dogs frequenting that section of town, barking and howling and making a general nuisance. Discussion revealed that other protests had been made verbally to individual councillors regarding the dog nuisance on Second street. A letter of acknowledgment will be sent to the taxpayer and the police were instructed to make a public warning that all unlicensed dogs will be destroyed and owners of dogs having licenses and who allow their animals to become a public nuisance will be brought into court.

Town solicitor, Sam Bannan, was called to the meeting to hear a detailed explanation of a matter of major importance to the council, and to advise it on what action should be taken. He asked for time to give thought to the matter before giving a decision. Council would like it would be guided on Mr. Bannan's decision.

Accounts passed included:	
E. D. Batrum	\$ 50.00
Alberta Government	
Telephones	36.70
The Motordrome	5.00
Coleman Motors	2.10
Charles Makin	10.30
International Coal & Coke	12.94
Modern Electric	21.42
George Pattinson Hardware	3.35
The Markville Company	5.54
Coleman Hardware	2.40
McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co.	23.28
H. C. McBurney	5.50
Relief	115.19
Kirk's Printer	4.20
Mothers' Allowance Dept.	45.00
Coleman Journal	90.25
Old Age Pensions	209.86

drafted overseas. We had a fair trip over with a little excitement the last two days, but nevertheless landed Christmas Eve.

Surprised to see everybody over here in such good spirits and with such a happy outlook on the war despite enormous losses of everything. Best of luck. Signaller O. H. Hirsch.

The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's United Church will hold their annual Valentine Tea

and Sale of Parcels and Aprons in the Church Club room on

SAT., FEB. 14
from 3 to 6 p.m.
TEA 25c

India's War Effort

Bonds of Empire become closer when a common enemy attempts to break down the mighty British Commonwealth of Nations. Far-flung though it is, each part of the Empire is doing its utmost in resisting the forces of destruction which are now bent upon it. Our own war effort is constantly before us, and the activities of Australia, New Zealand and South Africa have spoken for themselves in the news of the campaigns in the Far East and in Africa.

From what, to us, seems a remote part of the Empire, the mighty land of India, now comes a story of a great contribution to the common cause in time of peril. There, four hundred million people, inheriting a civilization that goes back to the remote past, have taken their place with the other people of the commonwealth and are making a noteworthy effort in many phases of the war. Sir Girji Shankar Bajpai, K.B.E., C.I.E., Agent General for India to the United States, recently visited Canada, and revealed some very interesting facts and figures in connection with India's war effort. Sir Girji is a distinguished servant of both the British Crown, and the Indian people, and he is able to speak with authority of Indian affairs.

Army Of Million Men

In his graphic presentation of the extent of his country's contribution to the war, Sir Girji revealed that the Indian army, which consisted of one hundred and seventy thousand troops when war broke out, now has over a million men, and could easily be expanded to include eight million. Lack of equipment at present stands in the way of the establishment of an army of the utmost capacity possible to the country.

In India sufficient small arms are produced to equip the army, but industry there is not geared to the production of tanks, airplanes and some types of heavy artillery. The production of textiles, for which India is famous, has been turned to war purposes, and five hundred and fifty million yards of cloth per annum are made for the British army. The entire jute industry is devoted to the production of sandbags, and a million and a half pairs of shoes are made each year for imperial armies. India produces food on a large scale and this goes in quantity to help to meet the food requirements of the Allied armies East of Suez. One million, five hundred thousand tons of steel and thirty million tons of coal are produced in India each year and these now go into the production of small artillery and other war necessities.

A United Country

For the present political issues have been put into the back ground, labour disputes do not exist, and the whole country is bent on the one task of doing its part in bringing the war to a successful close. As equipment is received from the other parts of the Empire, and the United States, the Indian army will grow, and will form an increasingly strong bulwark in Empire defence. Of the spirit of the people of India, Sir Girji said:

"We are with you in this cause, ardently, eager for effort, braced for sacrifice. Never, I think, in the history of the world has there been such a combination of powers as those who signed the other day or on whose behalf was signed the other day, the declaration of the united nations in Washington, a declaration which I had the privilege of signing on behalf of India."

And so we know that in the Far East, where the struggle is now grim and deadly, there stands a part of the Empire, strong and ready to do its utmost in bringing about a victory for the forces of democracy.

Fine Will Be Heavy

If Batavians Citizens For War Work Leave Capital

All civilians able to perform war work are forbidden to leave Batavia, capital of the Netherlands East Indies.

The government decree provided penalties up to five years in prison and 10,000-guilder (about \$5,000) fines for civilians who disobey the order.

The decree covers all persons assigned to civilian war work, all persons connected with any vital organization or industry, all who have been assigned by the government-general to important non-military functions, all persons possessing special knowledge or experience for non-military duties and all who have joined air raid services or the Red Cross.

Britain's Labor Shortage

Works Manager On The Spot When Employees Were Arrested

The shortage of skilled men in the factories is causing some odd situations.

The other day a colleague heard a works manager giving evidence at the police court against a group of his employees who stood in the dock charged with a series of thefts. He said they were good workmen and essential to the firm's war effort at the present time. In spite of their behavior, the firm would be glad to take them back into their employ.

"We cannot replace them," he added. He added that they wished they could.

"Is it a fact," asked the defence solicitor, "that you brought these men to court in your car?"

"Yes," answered the works manager, "and if they are not sent to prison I am going to drive them back. I want to get them restarted on their jobs as quickly as possible." The case ended in fines being imposed. Birmingham Post.

Ghost Town Yields Salvage

Drude, Alberta, the once-thriving coal mining town 175 road miles southwest of Edmonton, has been deserted for a number of years and the government now is having its buildings torn down and salvaging all metals and lumber to be scrapped for war needs.

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BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

The Individual
Citizen's Army

A Weekly Column About
This And That In The
Canadian Army.

By Alan Maurice Irwin

It's rather a strange thing that a country whose citizens, according to recent press despatches, are able to spend 60c of every dollar they receive on the war effort, should know so little about its Army—the biggest single item in the 60c worth.

That sounds like a sweeping assertion. It is a sweeping assertion, and perhaps, like most generalizations, slightly unfair. It is occasioned by a couple of newspaper clippings which came to my desk recently, which show that Canadian newspapermen are woefully ignorant of Army terms. (They should read this column). Perhaps it is elevating the fourth estate too highly to judge a country by its newspapermen, so an apology may be in order.

The whole thing grows out of two observations—"K.P." and "A.W.O.L." Both these terms are used little too frequently in Canadian newspaper columns to please old soldiers—this old soldier anyway, for neither of them apply to the soldiers of the King.

"K.P." is the abbreviation for a term current in the United States Army—"Kitchen Police"—it does not mean sentries placed on guard duty to protect currents and other delicacies from a raiding finger—it just means men who have been detailed to assist in the non-technical work in the kitchen.

A tour of duty on "Kitchen Police" is sometimes ordered as a mild punishment. But the fact that a man is detailed for a job in the kitchen does not always mean that he has transgressed any Army regulations.

In the Individual Citizen's Army of Canada work in the kitchen is the regular "fatigue" for which all private soldiers are liable to be detailed in the ordinary course of events, and since a kitchen in your Army is invariably known as a "cook-house," this duty should properly be referred to by newspaper writers and others as "cook-house fatigue."

(As one who had his share of cook-house fatigue a quarter of a century ago, it is probably unfair of me to point out to the Commanding Officer chance to look at this tint nine times out of ten it is a very welcome duty. There are such things as extra pieces of pie, apples that can be snatched, and other delicacies unofficially available at the amateur cook-house staff, which makes the whole proceeding rather useless as a punishment, even of the mildest variety.)

The other abbreviation I complain of in Canadian papers is "A.W.O.L."—again a U.S. Army term—meaning "absent without official leave." If the United States Army cares to indulge in such redundancy it is all right with me, but as an ex-soldier of an Army in which leave is referred to purely and simply as "leave," I feel that Canadian newspapermen should stick to the Army's Canadian terminology. The abbreviation of "A.W.O.L." which means, obviously "absent without leave." If a man has leave in your Army it has been granted by higher authority. Obviously then it does not need to be called "official leave," there being no such thing as an unofficial variety.

All the foregoing may seem to be trivial. Actually it isn't. The Individual Citizen's Army is not only the greatest investment ever made by the Canadian taxpayer, it is an investment which spells to him or her the difference between freedom and oppression, between life and death, so, like good investors it behooves us to know everything we can about the enterprise in which we should all be investing our money, our work, our brains and everything that we have.

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Doing Good Business

Taxi-Boats Are Very Useful In The Halifax Harbor

An uninitiated person who heard a taxi being hailed in the crowded mid-stream of Halifax harbor doubtlessly would think that somebody in the near vicinity had tossed down one too many and let it go that.

But that wouldn't be the end of it. A few minutes later, a noisy old motorboat would chug up to the merchant ship anchored nearby, and a nimble-footed seaman would scamper down a Jacob's ladder and hop into the boat. Then, as likely as not, the seaman might say to the boatman: "Shore, please, James."

As a matter of fact, the water taxi business is a particularly lucrative one in Halifax. One of the best that has sprung up since the war began. The taxi-boats they are known as the "mosquito fleet" by old-time harbor-workers because there are so many of them darting in and out of the midstream traffic, operate to bring seamen ashore for a leave and to take them back to their ships. They also carry supplies out to ships which anchor in port for a time but do not go into a dock.

There's enough work to be done to keep approximately 200 of the little craft busy, their owners getting \$1 per passenger for trip to any part of the middle harbor, \$2 to McNab Island beside the outer harbor and \$5 to the inner harbor, or Bedford Basin.

Most of the boats in the business used to operate on the inshore fishing grounds. Characteristically, they are noisy affairs low-slung, scantily painted, their smelly engines in sighty wheel-houses close to the bow, an open hold extending from the wheel-house to the stern where the passengers once it was the fish are stored.

A taxi company which operates a fleet of cabs in the city, also has a half-dozen boats in the harbor. Some of the craft have been fitted up almost luxuriously, their brightest feature being cabins fitted with automobile heaters for warmth.

Part Of Community Life

Spirit Of Kindness Brings Out The Best In People

Neighbors gathered at the home of the widowed Mrs. Ella Lenz, near Holstein, Iowa, one day last fall. They brought with them corn, pickers, tractors and teams and wagons. Before the day ended the 3,000-bushel corn crop on the farm was harvested. The womenfolk prepared a fine dinner.

It is a simple heart-warming story, repeated in one way or another in many communities. But it points a meaningful lesson. The expression of kindness and good will has become common to community life.

Wherever it has extended, this spirit of mutual consideration has brought out the best in men and women. It has lessened trouble with cheer, plan with comfort and fear with friendliness. Its results justify Charles Fletcher Dole's assertion: "Good will is the mightiest practical force in the Universe."

This truth occupied a paramount place in the plan of living revealed by the greatest teacher known. It was the essence of the parable of the Good Samaritan, the active principle of the commandment "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." The present world tragedy shows the urgency of expanding the boundaries within which this healing influence is permitted to work. The roots of hate and war will be eradicated only when men realize the full significance of those words in Romans XIV, 7: "For none of us liveth to himself, and no man dieth to himself."—Country Gentleman.

SELECTED RECIPES

SAVORY BEANS

1/2 lb navy beans
5 slices breakfast bacon
1 medium-size onion, chopped
2 cups canned tomatoes
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup Crown Brand syrup
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoons dry mustard

Method: Soak beans overnight; in the morning drain and rinse well. Cover with fresh water and cook until tender. Dice the bacon and fry, but not to a crisp. Add chopped onion; cook until tender. Add to beans; sugar, syrup and seasonings. Cook together about 10 minutes. Drain the beans and put half of them in bottom of bean pot (quart size). Add half the bacon and tomato mixture, then other half of beans. Cover with remaining sugar and cook in slow oven. Serves six.

A turkey-like bird, with a three-inch horn protruding from its forehead, has been discovered in the Bolivian jungles.

Muscovy was a former name for Russia.

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Norway's Merchant Marine

Despite Losses About 80 Ships Still In Allied Service

Since the beginning of the war, Norway has lost a total of 24 ships by sinking, according to an Associated Press compilation of December 14, 1941. Others have been seized by the Axis in Norway or ports elsewhere. Still at the service of the Allied cause are approximately 80 merchant ships, totalling about 5,500,000 tons deadweight. Among the Allied countries, Norway's merchant marine is exceeded in size only by Great Britain and that of the United States.

Ready For Emergency

The story is being told of an Italian tank captured in Libya which was found to have three reverse speeds and one forward.

The British captor thought he would have some fun with the Italian in charge. "Why," he inquired, "do you have that forward speed on there?"

"Well," replied the Italian, "we might be attacked from the rear."

Halley's comet was the first whose periodicity was predicted. This was in 1704, but verification was not until 1759.

Fine Enough Anyway

Machinist Not Strong On Arithmetic But Knew His Job

Recently a Canadian editor was in a gun plant where extremely fine tooling operations were being carried on.

"What are your tolerances on this job," he asked a man at a lathe. "One five thousandth of an inch," replied the workman.

The figure conveyed little to the editor. He asked, "How fine is that?"

The workman, too, seemed puzzled. He called to his neighbor on the next machine: "Bill, how many five thousandths are there in an inch?"

Bill scratched his head. "Gee, I don't know. But there must be millions of them."

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"Well, it's Valentine's Day, ain't it?"

U.S. NAVY CARRIES OUT RAID ON JAPANESE NAVAL BASES IN PACIFIC ISLANDS

Washington.—Warships and planes of the United Pacific fleet have wreaked terrific damage upon Japanese mid-Pacific bases lying across the route of supply to the western Pacific combat areas.

Many enemy auxiliary ships were sunk or damaged, many enemy planes were destroyed and the installations ashore were heavily battered, the navy reported in a communique which gave no figures on enemy losses. Two United States warships were slightly damaged by "near misses" by Japanese bombers and 11 aircraft were lost.

It was, so far as has been reported, the first time American bombs have fallen on Japanese territory.

The communique reflected fierce aerial fighting, the Japanese apparently putting up a stiffer defence with pursuit planes and anti-aircraft guns than they did with warships or coastal batteries.

The loss of 11 American aircraft also bespoke severe fighting aloft. It was believed to be the heaviest loss suffered by United States air forces in a single engagement to date but if the ratio of Japanese losses to American losses which has prevailed in previous air fights was maintained, the Japanese suffered a vastly heavier blow.

The communique said Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific fleet commander, "reports that . . . no large enemy combatant vessels were found," a phrasing which led to surmise that the attackers had hoped to surprise units of the Japanese fleet at these bases in the Marshall and Gilbert islands.

The types of vessels sunk were not identified except by the broad term "auxiliaries."

Despite the disappointing failure to catch large Japanese warships there, the heavy raid carried implications

of important tactical accomplishments.

Enemy submarines which have been reported operating off the Pacific coast of the United States are believed to have had their operating bases in the Marshall islands, Japan's easternmost possessions.

The islands, some 2,000 miles southwest of Hawaii and 600 miles south of Wake island, lie across the most direct route of supply between the United States and the besieged defenders of Bataan peninsula in the Philippines and of Singapore.

The crippling of these Japanese naval and air bases likewise cripples the interference the enemy can interpose against military convoys from the United States to all the western Pacific theatre.

While the communique left the impression that naval aircraft carried out most of the destruction, it said Japanese installations had been hit hard by shellfire.

In the Gilbert group, an attack was made on Makin island, which the Japanese wrested from Britain early in the war. The other bases assaulted all were in the Marshall group.

Wotje, one of the main Japanese bases, is 635 miles southeast of Wake island, and was considered the probable base of the attack on Wake, whose marine garrison surrendered in December.

Jaluit, another important Japanese base in the Marshalls, is 210 miles south of Wotje. About 230 miles still farther south is Makin island.

All these islands are among the far flung groups which Japan took from Germany in the first Great War and has held since under a League of Nations mandate.

The natives are Kanaks. In 1934 Jaluit had a population of more than 10,000.

Increase Allowance

To Be Paid To Civilians And Air Force Trainees

Ottawa.—An increase in allowances to civilians and air force trainees in the war emergency training program has been decided on, effective Feb. 2, the labor department announced.

Air force trainees taking pre-enlistment classes under the program have been receiving these allowances: Single man living at home, \$7 a week; single man living away from home \$9; heads of families \$12. This scheme has been changed to \$7, \$10 and \$15 respectively. Potential ground crew personnel are chiefly single men, while the married men are mainly taking academic refresher courses to qualify for air crew.

On the industrial side, single trainees living at home have been receiving an allowance varying up to \$3 a week if they gave up a job to take the training or are otherwise in need. Single trainees living away from home received from \$7 to \$9 a week, depending on living costs in their area, and heads of families were allowed \$12 a week. This scale has been revised to \$5, \$7-9, and \$13 respectively. All these allowances are paid by the Dominion.

Maple Sugar Exempt

But Rationing Applies To All Types Of Refined Sugar

Ottawa.—The sugar ration of three-quarters of a pound a person each week which went into effect in Canada applies to all types of refined cane and beet sugar.

After the rationing plan was announced by Donald Gordon, chairman of the wartime prices and trade board, there was an impression in some quarters that it applied only to white sugar.

However, it was made plain at the conference that all types of refined cane and beet sugar, including brown sugar as well as white, are affected.

Maple sugar is exempt from the rationing order.

Present Plan Satisfactory

Ottawa.—The Canadian government will avail itself of the privilege of representation on the British war cabinet if at any time it finds existing machinery for consultation with the British government unsatisfactory, Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the House of Commons. So far he said, the existing machinery had been satisfactory.

COMMANDS SQUADRON



Squadron Leader Stan Turner, veteran of Dunkirk air fighting and the Battle of Britain, has been placed in command of a Canadian fighter squadron, it was announced. The taciturn Toronto airman . . . credited with destroying at least 12 enemy aircraft when he was awarded the bar to the Distinguished Flying Cross last August . . . was one of the original members of the famous all-Canadian squadron commanded by Squadron Leader Douglas Bader, now a prisoner in Germany. Turner has been leading an English squadron on trans-channel sweeps since he left the all-Canadian outfit.

For Protection Of Forests

Schoolboy Battalion Could Guard B.C. Timber Against Fires

Victoria.—Lands Minister A. Wells Gray said provincial authorities had asked the federal government for authority to form a battalion of schoolboy patrolmen to guard British Columbia's forests against possible enemy incendiaries this summer.

Mr Gray said the special protection of the forests came under air raid precautions, and envisaged the possibility of fires being started by incendiary bombs dropped from enemy planes. He said 1,000 high school and university youths were needed in addition to regular forestry patrols.

Australia Uses Internees

Melbourne.—The Australian government announced it had completed plans for use in the national interest, and on a voluntary basis, of the labor and skill of certain friendly civilian internees sent to Australia by the British government from the Far East.

RED ARMY IS REPORTED TO HAVE OUTFLANKED ENEMY ON SCORES OF SECTORS

Moscow.—In firm possession of the railway gate to both the Ukraine granary and the Donet coal basin, the Red army was reported officially to have outflanked, outkited and encircled the German enemy in scores of sectors on a master Stalin plan of throwing the Germans from every acre of Russian soil in 1942.

Huge German forces were in danger of entrapment in the centre, north and south of the active front.

A communique said numerous additional populated places fell into Russian hands during the day, and a supplement listed 2,500 Germans killed in the liberation of Sukhitchi, big railway junction in the Kirov zone 150 miles southwest of Moscow.

"Pursuit of fleeing remnants of the beaten enemy there continues," the official announcement added.

The new Red army offensives are based on a considerable element of surprise aid by deft scouting in moth-like Soviet planes which operate in the worst kind of weather.

At the front one sees these little fellows equipped with skis. The Russians seem able to land them almost anywhere; to fly them in blizzards and gales. They nose out the enemy's weak spots, locating break and movement and quickly reporting back.

Ski troops who then knife into action are so mobile that the Russians are able to fling them across whole sectors at the shortest warning.

In Moscow there were many beaming faces as loud speakers boomed out the details of Marshal Semion Timoshenko's thrust into the Ukraine.

Moscow papers held their presses to tell the story of the taking of Loozovaya, the Ukraine-Donets railway gate. The Germans had paid especial attention to the city, making it a front supply station.

There was a big fight around the railway station. The Germans hoped for reinforcements from a Rumanian division, but had to retreat westward. The Rumanians arrived too late and were put to rout.

Thirty more populated points were added to the 400 recaptured up to and including the fall of Loozovaya.

Three whole German divisions, 25th, 68th and 298th, and three regiments—perhaps 50,000 men—were pushed into the rout. Two other Nazi divisions, the 44th and 295th, and units of three more were dealt considerable casualties in the fighting leading up to the capture of Loozovaya.

Battle trophies were enormous among them 6,013 automobiles, 40 tanks and armored cars, 658 field guns.

SAYS CANADIANS WILL HAVE TO MAKE SACRIFICES FOR PROSECUTION OF THE WAR

Winnipeg.—G. W. Spinney, national chairman of the war finance committee, Ottawa, in an address before members of the Winnipeg Canadian Club and the Winnipeg Board of Trade, urged Canadians to "trim our individual sails, cut out all the frills, and really say to ourselves that the purchase of this or that can wait until peace is declared."

Speaking on behalf of the second Canadian Victory Loan campaign during which Canadians will be asked to lend \$600,000,000 to the government for prosecution of the war, Mr. Spinney said:

"Money raised out of the last Victory Loan, together with the greatly increased tax receipts, does not come near to supplying the amount required for our own war effort, and for the assistance which we are giving to Great Britain. The war has an appetite that is never satisfied. Our government has nowhere to turn except to the Canadian people."

There might be spots where the taxation scales could be increased, but "we are already close to the point where further general increases would defeat their own ends."

"The restrictions which have been placed upon us may be only the first beginnings of what may be the most radical and rapid change in our ordinary ways of life that this generation has ever known—a change which will not be so dangerous or so heroic as that which occurred in England under the air raids but, none the less, it will cut with profound effect into the habits of our daily lives," he said.

While it was the duty of the government to impose restrictions which the war demands, "it is from the hearts of the Canadian people themselves that there must come the grace to make these restrictions really effective."

Canadians should not consider the purchase of Victory bonds as a "sacrifice," Mr. Spinney said, adding that the only element of sacrifice comes into the transaction "when we are willing to deprive ourselves for the duration of the war of many things which we formerly regarded as necessities but in the light of present circumstances may be regarded as luxuries."

He said obligation to restrict expenditures to absolute essentials falls on governments Dominion, provincial and municipal—with the same force as on the individual.

"Capita. expenditures outside the strict scope of war needs, except essential expenditures for the preservation of health of the people, should not be condoned. Provincial government and indeed most municipal government revenues are relatively buoyant, and the drain on their finances formerly caused by unemployment relief has been largely eliminated."

"The sole reason for this turnabout arises from the fact the Dominion government's expenditures on war account have been so heavy. In my opinion, therefore, it would be reprehensible for any governmental bodies to indulge at this time in non-essential capital outlays. Any money remaining after paying for the ordinary functions of government should surely be invested in Victory bonds."

Colombo, capital of Ceylon, is one of the world's most important shipping centres.

Food Situation In Europe

German-Occupied Countries Not Facing Acute Shortage Yet

London.—Viscount Cranborne, Dominion secretary, told the House of Lords that with the exception of parts of Greece, Yugoslavia and Northern Norway "there is at present no considerable food shortage in Europe."

He said that out of a population of about 130,000,000 in the German-occupied countries of Europe about 60,000,000 are living, if not at their pre-war level, at any rate "not much below it." He said the blockade was "almost our only definitely offensive weapon at present" and that to abandon it would be "most criminal folly."

Reported Missing

London.—Reuters said it heard a German broadcast announce that Capt Johann Schmid, a Nazi flyer credited with downing 41 planes and described as "one of the most brilliant German airmen," is missing.

Making Good Progress

Washington.—The United States is making very good progress in sending supplies to Allied forces battling the Japanese in the southwest Pacific, President Roosevelt declared at a press conference.

Reach Singapore Safely

British Officers And Gurkha Soldiers Manage To Evade Japs

Singapore.—Two British officers and seven Gurkha soldiers cut off from the main force in northern Malaya reached Singapore after 40 days. They fought their way out of several tight corners, crossed the main road in constant use by Japanese trucks, then paddled a small sampan 200 miles across the Malacca Strait to Sumatra.

Demand For Horses

Saskatoon.—The probability that demand for good horses at a remunerative price would be experienced before the demand could be met, was the opinion expressed by Peter A. Taylor, secretary of the Saskatchewan Clydesdale Breeders' Club, in his report to club members at a meeting held here in conjunction with the convention of the Saskatchewan Live Stock Breeders' Association.

Non-Essential Industries

Perth, Australia.—The government intends to close immediately all non-essential industries throughout Australia and transfer the labor thus released to vital defence production, Prime Minister John Curtin announced.

CONTRIBUTION FROM CANADA WILL ENABLE BRITAIN TO PURCHASE FOOD CHEAPER

Ottawa.—The foodstuffs portion of the \$1,000,000,000 contribution from Canada to Great Britain announced by Prime Minister Mackenzie King will enable the British food ministry to buy Canadian farm products at approximately 25 per cent. below what it would have to pay under ordinary circumstances, The Canadian Press learned.

The Canadian government will pay to farmers prices considered sufficient to enable them to increase production. Then the Canadian government will sell the produce to the British food ministry at around 25 per cent. below these prices, an official source said.

In some commodities there is already a considerable spread between what Britain has been able to pay and what the Canadian farmer needs to raise such products.

Last year the food ministry paid about \$400,000,000 to marrow this

spread and the Canadian government almost \$100,000. Canada's gift will take the load off the food ministry and is expected also to improve prices to the Canadian farmer.

The \$1,000,000,000 gift will be split three ways among munitions, foodstuffs and other supplies and no decision has yet been made what portion of the gift will be devoted to foodstuffs, it was said.

Negotiations are going forward to arrange to send to Britain 300,000 bushels of Canadian beans now held in the Dominion above domestic requirements.

Negotiations also are being worked out regarding cheese and the Canadian dairy industry will be asked to supply 125,000,000 pounds for Britain under a new agreement.

The present contract calls for 112,000,000 pounds which Canada will have provided by the time the contract is ended.

Out on the Pacific coast, which, since Dec. 7, 1941, has become an immediate theatre of war, Canada is on guard against attack. Here is photographed for the first time the "operations room" of the Pacific coast command, nerve centre of the coastal defence scheme. Some of the men upon whom responsibility for defence falls are shown here. Left to right: Col. B. R. Mullaly, Commodore J. W. R. Beech, C.O.P.C. (navy); Col. J. F. Preston, G.S.O. Pacific command; Major-General R. O. Alexander, (chief of the Pacific command); Wing Commander E. C. Lukes, W.A.C.; Air Commodore L. F. Stevenson, A.O.C., Western Air Command, seated with Commander C. M. Cree, R.C.N.



10,000-TON FREIGHTER TAKES TO SEA FROM CANADIAN PORT

First of a succession of 10,000-ton cargo vessels being built in Canadian shipyards, the freighter Fort Ville Marie is shown as she steamed from the yards of Canadian Vickers. The ship was launched only two months ago and has been commissioned in near-record time. More such vessels are under construction in shipyards on both coasts.

Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal: An old-timer is the one who can recall when it wasn't fashionable for an individual to owe more money than he could pay.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

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Light in the Dark Places

Now that the eastern approach to the town has been lighted, as well as the district of East Coleman, people wonder why they did not have lights long before. The next much needed and often urged improvement is better lighting on Main street. Those old goose-neck or bracket lights on telephone poles were alright in the horse and buggy days, but the world has improved a great deal since, yet Coleman has had just about sufficient light on its most important thoroughfare to make darkness visible.

Due to the proximity of the coal cleaning plant, it is impossible to keep Main street buildings clean, and a month after being freshly painted they appear just as grimy as ever.

As coal production is our bread and butter, no complaint can well be made. The fault is one which cannot now be remedied—the main street was built right in the path of the west wind which blows the coal dust through the business section. Town planning was not thought of when the townsite was laid out.

But the place could be made more alluring at night by better lighting, and as for cost, it would be very little more and the improved appearance would give people more pride in the town.

Municipal Elections on Monday

It will be to have an election now and then. It stimulates interest in local affairs, and generally speaking candidates are imbued with a desire to serve their communities with a view to improvements. Naturally their views will not be acceptable to all, and an election gives ratepayers the opportunity to express their feelings. It is always well to remember too, that younger men should be given a chance to show what they can do, for the impulsiveness of youth, tempered by the mature judgment of older and more experienced people, usually strikes a fairly correct balance.

As the most populous centre of the Crows Nest Pass, Coleman can stand many improvements at no increased cost to ratepayers. By careful planning and wise expenditure of the limited amount of taxes collected, much better value could be given than has been the rule in earlier years. A good step forward was made under the guidance of former Mayor Pattinson, who served this community faithfully for many years. Now there are many places where repairs are needed which should engage the attention of the council. Criticism or suggestions that have as their object the improvement of the town as a whole should be welcomed, for it is the ratepayers who pay the cost, therefore they should make known their views.

Big Revenue From Utilities

Comparison of towns of less population than Coleman show in their annual financial statements that lighting and water systems are profitable sources of revenue. The receipts from Blairmore's utilities show a far greater amount than tax receipts, and in Macleod, a town with half the population of Coleman receipts on account of taxation were \$31,650.97, while from its utilities (electric light and waterworks) there was received \$54,277.60, or \$22,627 more than tax collections. The result is that Macleod's rate of taxation is substantially reduced by owning its utilities.

As the town of Coleman is reported to be building up a fund to purchase the existing utilities system, a move is being made which will if carried through result in relieving taxation. True, Macleod's lighting rate is heavier than Coleman's, but even so it is helping to make a big reduction in tax levies, so that the taxpayer receives the benefit.

Willing Workers Are Urgently Needed

In every community there is a group of willing workers who give their time and energy to promote worthy causes. More than ever the call is for this type of unselfish workers to help in war service activities. There are slackers on the home front, it is true, who become conspicuous by their inactivity in such times as these—in fact at all times. "They're not to do or die, but to just criticize" the well-directed efforts of others who carry on their duties as loyal citizens who prize freedom sufficiently to work for it. Help in any way you can. It means taking time from your personal affairs; yet, if your house was burning or your home was being attacked, would you find time then to spring to its defence?

WEDDINGS

(Calgary Herald).

CRAIK - LOCHRIE
The wedding of Miss Daisy Lochrie, youngest daughter of Mrs. George Clark and the late John Lochrie, and Thomas R. Craik, took place at the home of the bridegroom's parents, on Saturday, January 10.

The bride was dressed in a dress of white sheer, and was given in marriage by Mr. David Anderson. She was attended by Miss Marvis Ryan, of Cammore.

The groom was attended by his brother, Gordon Craik. Rev. Melvin Robson read the marriage service. The bridal chorus from Lo-hengrin was played by Miss Muriel Chamberlain. During the signing of the register, Mrs. H. Newing sang "Because."

A buffet supper followed the ceremony, the main table being centred with a beautiful wedding cake.

Mrs. Craik will reside at Calgary, the groom having now returned to Halifax where he is a member of Canada's armed forces.

The wedding is of particular interest to Coleman since the bride spent many years residing here with her parents.

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Town Shows Operating Surplus of \$1,479

Relief Shows Decrease of \$1,252; Mayor Antrobus, Committee Chairman and School Chairman, George Evans, Give Reports.

Again for the second successive year only six ratepayers were interested enough to attend the annual meetings of the town and school district which were held on Friday evening. Evidently the financial reports of these two bodies showed the town and school district in such a healthy state that ratepayers did not deem it necessary to attend the meetings.

Mayor Antrobus was elected chairman and Miss G. Lees, secretary. The mayor read the financial statement which showed the town to have cash on hand totaling \$5,702.71 and showing an operating surplus of \$1,470.01 for the year. A \$2,000 bank loan carried over from last year had been paid. Tax arrears are one third of the current annual levy.

Questioning revealed that relief had decreased \$1,252 from the previous year. In his report Mayor Antrobus listed the hardsurfacing on sections of Third and Fourth streets, concrete pipes had replaced worn out wooden ones, main street bridge widened, nuisance ground road improved. The council had created a fund to enable it to purchase the Coleman Light & Water Company when the franchise expires in 1944.

The ratepayers authorized the new council to ask the town solicitor's advice regarding getting back the money from Lycka which is now being spent on some members of his family. It was pointed out by the council that steps have already been taken to safeguard part of the money expended.

The mayor and council were congratulated for creating the special fund to purchase the Light & Water system. They were further congratulated for repairing the miners' path leading to McGillivray mine.

Chairman W. Dutil of the Works and Property committee listed improvements to Seventh street, hardsurfacing of sections of Third and Fourth streets, concrete pipe installations, miners' footpath and stone wall built to aid drainage on Fourth street, the cost being \$1,287.

Chairman G. Ford, of the Light & Water committee, reported that water rates had been reduced 20% last year. It was planned to change and improve the main street lighting system. Main street lights were being installed with a special switch and during the winter months would give all night illumination. Cost of 1941 operation was \$188 less than 1940.

In written report Chairman J. Balloch of the relief committee revealed that relief granted in 1941 was \$1,487 as against \$2,540, a saving of \$1,252 over the previous year. More opportunities for employment contributed to the decrease.

The police report revealed that 66 cases had been tried, one requiring the services of the town solicitor. \$658 had been taken in licenses and dog tags. \$100 would be received by the town when application was made to the provincial government for its share from liquor fines.

A motion was passed that the incoming council seek the advice of the town solicitor re compensation for loss of water in Nez Perce creek.

The council's meeting was adjourned and George Evans was appointed chairman to read the School District's financial statement.

Following the reading of the statement a discussion took place re taxi service to Sentinel power plant. At the present time the school district is bearing the expense of transportation of children whose fathers are employed at the plant. Previously the power company had been paying for transportation but upon Frank Barringham, who had the contract with the company, leaving for the coast, the company sent a letter to the Board stating it felt that the Board should undertake the responsibility of transporting the children to and from school. A letter was sent to Edmonton. The reply stated that it transported children from points near the power plant and which was certainly not as fruitful in taxation as the plant property. The Board at the present time receives \$1,700 in taxation per year.

As a result of wage scale readjustments and cost-of-living bonus the wage schedule was \$2,000 over 1940.

Vice-principal H. Allen gave a report of school activities. There were 623 students attending public and high schools. It had been an abnormal year. Schools scheduled to open on August 27 had finally opened on September 22. John McDonald had joined the R.C.A.F., necessitating James Cousins being promoted to the high school staff. This also meant re-arranging the subjects among the staff. Miss Webb had been appointed to the intermediate staff replacing Mr. Cousins.

Frank Turner, shop work instructor, stated that he had approximately 100 students attending his classes and he found that the three days of each week that he taught in Coleman were

insufficient to properly instruct the pupils. He had sufficient equipment to teach woodwork but lack of equipment to teach many of the 124 other phases of shop work such as sheet metal, electricity, etc. There was also a lack of storage space.

In order to encourage the pupils to give of their best he appealed to private individuals or local organizations to sponsor a trophy to be competed for by the shop work students. Following his report Mr. Turner was invited by Trustee Mack Stigler to attend the next Board meeting where further discussion might be given to Mr. Turner's report.

Before the meeting adjourned, Mr. George Ford sponsored a resolution which will be sent to the Federal government calling upon that body to conserve wealth and industry as well as manpower.

Hm-m!

"What were those unusual greens we had tonight, Cook?" "You remember, ma'am, you said those geraniums in the garden looked so lovely you could eat them!"

"Yes." "Well, you have!" — Toronto Globe and Mail.

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Local News

Jimmy Evans was a recent Calgary business visitor.

LAC John Rogers, of Fort William, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kellington and family, of Lundbreck, are now residing here.

Vernon Brown, R.C.A.F., Lethbridge, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown.

Tony Pietraszko was allowed home from the hospital on Saturday following an injury suffered at his work during the week.

The Misses Helen Webb, Edna Fairhurst and Margaret Shanks were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

Mrs. Melville Cornett and son, Alex, have returned home after a six weeks' visit with L/C Cornett, who is stationed at Hamilton, Ont.

Miss Janet Wilson celebrated her 16th birthday on Sunday, February 1, at a party held at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Matthew Wilson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Summers have taken up residence on Third street in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Duffield, Jr.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild sponsored a whist drive in the church hall on Thursday evening. Prize winners were Mrs. J. Cassidy, Mrs. J. Rogers and Mrs. R. Lloyd. Eleven tables were in play.

Harry Parkinson and V. Collagrosso, bandmen in the military band stationed at Red Deer, spent a few days last week at their respective homes. They left for Red Deer on Monday.

Mrs. Henry Raymond entertained at three tables of bridge at her home on Friday evening. Prize winners were Mrs. F. Vincent, Mrs. Nora Laithe and Mrs. Neil Fleming.

Mrs. R. Marchant, secretary of the Crow's Nest Pass Musical Festival is distributing copies of the syllabus to interested parties. A spare copy is available at The Journal office. Festival dates are April 27, 28 and 29. Stanley Bligh, music editor and critic of the Vancouver Sun, has been appointed adjudicator.

Howard Campbell, R.C.A.F., Edmonton, recently visited his brother Bob and Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Major Hyslop, of Halifax, formerly of Coleman, entertained David Smith, who is stationed in New Brunswick.

Pte. Wesley McQuarrie, of the Calgary Highlanders, left last week after spending five days embarkation leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McQuarrie.

Mrs. Eldred Ash is visiting her parents at Glenwood, Alberta. On Tuesday evening her Glenwood friends sponsored a miscellaneous shower in her honor.

USED TIRES

Restriction by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board on the sale of new rubber tires has created a demand for "re-treads." The new tires are needed to roll Canada's machines of war to victory.

Dealers must not charge more for used tires or tubes than during the basic period between September 15 and October 11 last, and must satisfy themselves that the customer has a real need for the tire or tube, for the essential operation of his car.

A "used tire" is defined as one that has been used for more than 300 miles.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Britain has authorized shipment of 8,000 tons of wheat to Greece to help relieve a threatened famine.

Unused sheds in a London district have been converted into "food laundries" where food contaminated by gas can be made fit for human consumption.

Earl Bathurst was fined £85 (\$380) on a charge of violating food rationing rules by buying eggs from a retailer with whom he was not registered.

Lord Illingworth, 77, postmaster-general in the First Great War cabinet of Prime Minister Lloyd George, and a former member of parliament, died recently in London.

The war production board earmarked the United States' entire supply of aluminum for war use, prohibiting all civilian use except for a handful of essential items.

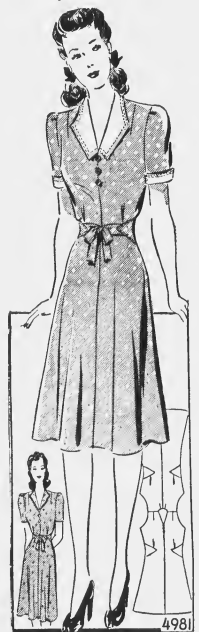
Appointment of Dr. E. P. Laberge, of Ottawa, as supervising inspector of employment offices was announced by the unemployment insurance commission.

Frank Garland, manager of the Manitoba Co-operative Honey Producers, Ltd., said that it is likely that honey will be used extensively in cooking and baking now that sugar is rationed.

Fights between the under-thirties and over-thirties in the German army of occupation in France started after the older men openly showed that they had begun to lose faith in Hitler, said B. C. Townroe, who had investigated.

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Something To Wait For

The New York Herald-Tribune makes the statement that a giant tortoise in the grounds of Government House, St. Helena, is the only thing still alive that has seen Napoleon, who died at St. Helena in 1821. Doubtless the old fellow is waiting for a sight of Hitler.

Nauru, South Seas Island under a British Empire mandate since the First Great War, is rich in phosphate rock.

Learning To Think

Supreme Danger To Our Civilization Is Our Growing Incapacity
(By Bruce Hutchinson)

The supreme danger to our civilization is not Hitler, but our growing incapacity to think, our growing incapacity to absorb easy and false ideas, like a gold fish gulping down breadcrumbs. If, with all our education and means of communication, we had learned to think instead of merely repeating catchwords like solemn parrots, there would have been no Hitler in the first place. And if we do not learn to think, if we do not chuck out most of our mental furniture and furnish more carefully in the future (building most of the pieces for ourselves in our own mental workshops), then we shall have larger and worse Hitlers when the present one has been liquidated.

Fewer People Use Shelters

Population of the London underground shelters—those who sleep there regularly—has fallen off steeply since the height of the Nazi bombings. There are only 28,000 regularly sheltered in the tubs these days. The night following the last severe raid on May 10, there were 70,000.

SO YOU'RE GOING
TO DO A PLAY?

Movement

Last week we started on technique and to-day I wish to discuss with you "movement." Never move without a reason. Thus, you enter the room and wish to go to the fireplace. You could indicate that you wished to get warm by hand gestures when you arrive at the fireplace; you might want to flick a cigarette ash; there might be something on the mantel that you wish to examine, or you might put some wood on the fire. Whatever it is follow through the action, defining each part of the movement so that it is clear and crisp, and quite easily followed. Your face and eyes may be needed to help with this. If you are cold, take several minutes to warm up, etc. seldom move and speak at the same time. Move then speak. The voice then has a good chance of being heard at the back of the hall without interference of noise of movement.

Gestures usually precede the speech. For example, point to the door with your full length of arm, and at shoulder height, then say, "See the door—make use of it." Make few gestures. When gestures are used they should always be above the waist line and wide, and sweeping. Beware of hands in the pockets. Let them hang naturally at the sides. No one ever thinks of them until the actor calls attention to them by a movement or unusual gloves, etc. Don't look for a chair to sit down on. Walk up to it and feel the chair with the back of the calf of the leg, and then with one movement, sit down. If sitting in a deeply upholstered chair, during the speech before rising, slightly move into a straight sitting position so there will not be an effort in getting up. Never grab the arms of a chair in getting up unless you are cast as an older or ill person. Never cross your legs at the knees unless you are cast as a dancer or actress. Then be sure to cross them high at the knee and tip the toe to the floor. If kneeling, do it with the down stage foot.

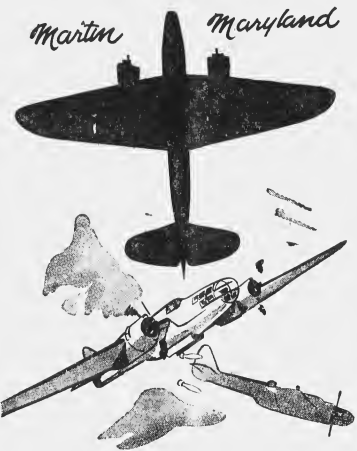
Speech

Never look directly into the audience and speak. Only elocutionists and speakers do that. If you are reminiscing, you may select a high window at the back of the building and staring at it, speak through the audience. Look at the person to whom you are talking unless they are at the back. Then appear to look at them but be sure your words come out to the audience, but do not screw your neck around and become awkward. Regard the stage as a room with the fourth wall removed and the audience peering in.

Make Up

Use as little as possible, depending on the lights. In religious dramas, be sparing on make-up. Only use crepe hair when driven to it because of length of hair, sideburns, moustache, etc. Be careful to build beard, sideburns, etc. up a little at a time, trimming them when they are in place, like a barber would trim them if they were natural. Take minute pains with small details, directors. It pays in the long run. And take the pains early in the rehearsals.

Till next week, then. The play books or scripts as we call them in the theatre should be here by that time.—Mary Ellen Burgess, Box 326, Regina.

PLANES OF THE R.C.A.F.
and how to spot them
APPROVED BY THE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

THE Martin Maryland is another high-speed, twin-engine bomber, being produced by the Glenn L. Martin Co. of Baltimore, U.S.A. for the Royal Air Force.

In appearance it is somewhat like the Baltimore although a comparison of the silhouettes of the two aircraft will readily reveal their differences. The Maryland was being built in large numbers for the French before the fall of France.

It is an all-metal, mid-wing monoplane, falling in the "medium" class, with wing span of 61' 3" and a length of 46' 9". It is exceptionally fast, with a top speed of over 300 m.p.h. Power is supplied by two 1,050-h.p. air-cooled engines. The Maryland is heavily armed with forward guns and others strategically located in power-operated turrets. It carries a heavy load of bombs.

Enough Is Enough

Speaking in Toronto, a man from Coventry, England, told of an air-raid practice in that town at which children were used to pose as wounded. One little girl was left waiting to be picked up too long, she thought. So she departed for home, leaving a note that read: "Gone home. Bled to death."

The king cobra sometimes attains a length of 18 feet, and is the largest poisonous snake in the world.

Complicates Things

In the days when "comics" were confined to the jokes in the almanac, parents found affairs much less complicated than now when many of them must keep up with the doings of a dozen strips in order to understand what their children are talking about, says the Christian Science Monitor.

The grapefruit is said to have been introduced into the Americas by the Spaniards in the 16th century.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

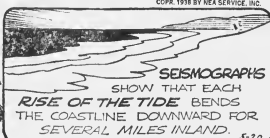


MAN'S "SONG BOX" IS AT THE TOP OF THE WINDPIPE; A BIRD'S IS AT THE BOTTOM!

LIVE CATTLE

WERE DROPPED BY PARACHUTES TO ITALIAN SOLDIERS IN ETHIOPIA, IN ORDER THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE FRESH MEAT!

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THE bird's songbox is called the "syrinx." The instrument is quite complicated, but the principle is simple enough. As the bird breathes out air, it sets certain membranes vibrating, and these are tightened or loosened according to the pitch desired.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 8

A BUSY SABBATH IN CAPERNAUM

Golden Text: I was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day. Revelation 1:10.
Lesson: Mark 1:21-34; Luke 4:31-41.
Devotional reading: Isaiah 58:13, 14.

Explanations and Comments

Jesus Attended the Synagogue on the Sabbath, Mark 1:21, 22. Jesus and his followers were in Capernaum, which had now become his headquarters, and on the Sabbath, as their custom was, went to the synagogue. We hear nothing of synagogues in Old Testament times, but in the time of Christ they were the places for worship and for holding the courts of justice. It was customary for the "ruler of synagogue" to choose the teacher for the day, and on this special Sabbath Jesus taught, and taught as having authority, not as the scribes who quoted the authority of their great rabbis. All were amazed at his teaching. The scribes were the usual synagogue teachers. In Luke 5:17 they are called "doctors of the law."

Many Cures on the Sabbath, Mark 1:23-34. Jesus and his four disciples left the synagogue and went to Peter's home. There they learned that Peter's wife's mother (Tyndale's Version has the usual phrase, "Simeon's mother-in-law") was sick with fever. At once he took her by the hand and raised her up, and the fever left her. "The working of healing miracles cannot be explained; that is, we cannot tell how it was done. Sometimes the Gospels represent them as answers to Jesus' prayers (Mk. 9:29; 11:23; Jn. 11:42). They are works which the Father gives him to do. Sometimes the Gospels speak as if the healing power resided in him as electricity might in a body charged with it, and as if it could be trapped by a believing touch, though not without his knowledge (Mk. 5:28, 29). Always it is a power personal to Jesus, and also, as the Gospels often show us, at his own expense. The divinity, saying about these miracles is in Mt. 8:17: 'Himself took our infirmities and bore our diseases.' What it means is that his healings were works of love as well as of power." James Denny. The completion of the cure is shown by the last clause, "and she ministered unto them." When evening came and it was then lawful to bring the sick to be healed, "all the city" was gathered at the door where Jesus was, and he healed many.

Received Pilot's Wings

List of Graduates From Service Flying School

Among the graduates who received their Pilot's Wings at No. 10 Service Flying Training School, Dauphin, Manitoba, on January 16th, 1942, were a number whose homes are in Western Canada. The presentation was made by Group Captain A. H. Wilson, commanding officer of the school. The names of the young pilots are as follows:

LAC. N. A. Ash, Peace River, Alta.; LAC. L. Beuchler, Denzil, Sask.; LAC. J. J. Boyce, Barrhead, Alta.; LAC. D. M. Cornish, Scout Lake, Sask.; LAC. R. W. George, Rush Lake, Sask.; LAC. W. M. Hays, Amisk, Alta.; LAC. A. F. Hildebrandt, Hague, Sask.; LAC. W. A. Manlyuk, Vermilion, Alta.; LAC. L. W. Ottewill, Vulcan, Alta.; LAC. D. N. Pearson, Pincher Creek, Alta.; LAC. G. T. Phillips, Semans, Sask.; LAC. W. B. Sage, Lacombe, Alta.; LAC. W. L. Schofield, c-o Arthur Scholfield, Rosetown, Sask.; LAC. R. D. Shaw, Gainsborough, Sask.; LAC. A. E. F. Staple, Banff, Alta.; LAC. W. H. Tappe, Longview, Alta.

Will Become Useful

Over 8,000,000 letters received at the British dead letter office in London in the last year are to help win the war. Hitherto they have been burned, now they will be sent to make cartridge wads, ammunition and mines.

For All To Read

The iron gates of Lord Stonehaven's estate at Stonehaven, Scotland, have disappeared and in their place is a big notice "These gates have gone to make tanks for Russia."

There are no fur-bearing animals on the land within the Antarctic Circle. 2449

Health
LEAGUE
of
CANADA
presents
TOPICS
of
VITAL
INTEREST

CHILD WELFARE PROBLEMS

The British Ministry of Health, through the good offices of the Right Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner to London and a member of the Board of Directors of the National Committee for Mental Hygiene (Canada), invited Dr. C. M. Hincks, General Director of the national committee, to go to England to investigate the way in which Canada might be of service to the Old Country in handling its child welfare problems.

Dr. Hincks considered it advisable to select two experts to accompany him. He chose Dr. W. E. Blatz, director of the Institute for Child Study, and Dr. Stuart Jaffary, director of the School of Social Work of the University of Toronto. They are now in Great Britain and will survey the need for experienced personnel to deal with the child population in the bombed areas and in the centres to which children have been evacuated. Dr. Hincks and his assistants, representing mental hygiene, nursery school and social work fields in the Dominion, thus have an opportunity to make an invaluable contribution to Britain's reconstruction program.

Due To Carelessness

Amount Of Wasted Postage Last Year Was Around \$42,009

Clearly or incorrectly addressed mail that ended up in the dead letter office last year represented wasted postage of at least \$42,009. Postmaster-General Mulock said, urging public co-operation to assist postal officials. Col. Mulock said 2,100,472 letters, postcards, circulars and parcels reached the dead letter office.

A Straight Question

This story with a moral comes from Eric Hadfield, of Springfield, Thongbridge near Huddersfield. On a wet afternoon a four-year-old girl was forbidden by her mother to go out collecting waste paper from neighbors. It was much too wet, her mother said.

The little girl fixed her parent with a stern eye. "Do you want to win this war or don't you?" she demanded.

Thanks To The Indians

The Pilgrims first called cranberries "devil's food," because the fruit puckered the mouth when eaten raw. The Indians taught the settlers how to make cranberry sauce.

The last Greek era of independence lasted from her freedom from the Turks on 1825 to her occupation by the Germans in 1940.

MICKIE SAYS—

WHEN YOU HAVE GUESTS, IT'S ONLY COURTESY TO SEE THAT THEIR NAMES APPEAR IN THE HOME NEWSPAPER—PHONE CALL OR DROP US A CARD—THANK YOU!



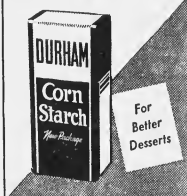
REG'LAR FELLERS—A Peach of an Explanaton



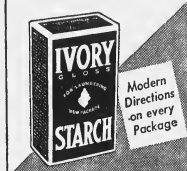
BY GENE BYRNES

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"ALL THAT GLITTERS"

— By —
ANNE TEDLOCK BROOKS

CHAPTER VII.

Tamar felt a hand on her shoulder. "I'm all right," she asserted weakly trying to sit up.

She looked up into dark eyes that were anxiously studying her.

"I'm awfully sorry. I should have kept you from getting that nasty spill," Christopher Sande said. "Are you sure that there are no bones broken?"

"Tamar!" her father exclaimed as he ran up to her. "Child, are you hurt?" His face was whiter than the paper he held.

Sande was kneeling beside her there on the hillock where Madcap's flying hoods had been brought up short.

"I'm perfectly all right!" Tamar reaffirmed. She held out her slender white hand, and Christopher helped her to her feet. "A little scared, I'll admit. Poor little Madcap. She's more frightened than I. Look at her tremble."

"Better let me take you home, Miss Randolph," Sande offered. "I'm through for a while. One of the boys can bring your mare."

Tamar's knees felt crumpled and she said, "I think I will accept your offer. Now don't worry, Dad." To prove that she was unharmed she started toward the grey coupe that belonged to Christopher. "Don't keep



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lunch waiting, please, Dad. I'll tell Phoebe to set the extra places."

The young engineer helped her into the car. "That was a bad shock," he said with concern in his voice.

"Marry is so gentle. I can't imagine her belling like that. Tamar waived aside the accident by changing the subject. "Do you like your work as an engineer?"

"This is most interesting. I spent eight months in Alaska, and had some very practical experiences there. The thing that amazes me is the fact that this rich ore has lain here for generations unmined, but for the first shaft that was sunk into Cricket Hill. How it could be left here so long is almost incredible." Christopher turned his dark head toward her, and said, "Will you have a cigarette?"

"Thank you. If I could give you a picture of the whole thing! The first mine that really produced was the Milder Mine, which yielded four million dollars. Oh, this part of the hills has always been prospected, Mr. Sande. Many of the families from Tahhahela have taken their bread and butter from the fields and creek bottoms of this county."

Her eyes wandered over the countryside. It was a beautiful morning. Suddenly she had an idea. "Have you been out to Squatters Square?"

"No. But the name sounds familiar."

"If you have an hour, let's drive over, and I'll show you something interesting in the way of making a living." She indicated a narrow turn down a country side road, and Sande obligingly turned the car into it.

"I'm in no hurry to get back to the mine."

The car bumped along the rutted road, which grew rougher as they proceeded. The red dust lay about them and the land became hilly once more.

After a time they turned a short bend in the road and came upon an unpainted shack against the clump of pine trees which grew at the base of a higher hill. As the car came into a view a half dozen dirty, bedraggled children and as many barking dogs sprang suddenly from nowhere. Tamar smiled at the look on Christopher's face.

A frowzy looking woman came to the door and stood there while the car drove up to the dilapidated gate. In a moment it was surrounded.

"Get down, Spot!" the woman called. "Don't go ter pesterin' the folks. Lemuel. Howdy folks, come in."

"Hospitable," smiled Christopher to Tamar.

"I want to show Mr. Sande some of the boys' work, Mrs. Fetten."

"Go right ahead, Mr. Randolph. I can't hardly see you for the sun. I didn't recognize you at first. Lemme! Come here! Shading her eyes with one hand, and switching her ragged skirt together with the other, she came out of the broken screen door.

"Pap and the boys is down to the north field to-day. Got 'em some new prospector's pans yesterday. The ol' ones was wore out. I'll keep the kids off'n the car."

As they left it behind, Tamar smothered the laughter that leaped to her lips. Christopher looked so glumly sympathetic. "Don't worry about them. They probably won't ever know the difference, and as long as they don't they're perfectly happy."

"Did you see what that baby was using for a doll?" He asked with distress in his deep voice.

"That was the newest child, and her name is Tamar. Yes, she was playing with a gourd. It was a fair imitation." The smile had left her lips now. "Oh, Christopher, it is a wicked shame, and yet it's so hopeless. There would never be any ending to trying to help them, and the queerest thing about it is that the fatter doesn't want to help." She indicated a broken rail fence. "Here, pull up by that tree."

As they stopped, he could see three men, or rather a man and two youths sitting on their haunches down by the bank of a meandering creek. One of them turned and waved.

Tamar glanced at her white shoes. They were heavy sport brogans, but she hated to walk in the red soil, knowing that their color would never be white again.

With childish naivete, she sat down on the running board of the car. "Excuse me, while I take off my shoes."

Sande swallowed suddenly. She was the most desirable creature he had ever seen, standing there in her wrinkled blue linen culottes, faded from many washings, barefooted, and with the sun turning the black hair to blue. He was silent as they crossed the open field.

"Good morning, Mr. Fetten. I've brought a friend to see you pan some gold. This is Mr. Sande."

and you, sir." He nodded toward the two boys, who were shyly peering at them from half-closed eyes. "Here, Ossie, let Mr. Sande see your pan."

The boy Ossie, accommodatingly held up his pan of ordinary-looking dirt. "It's empty, Pap. I'll start a new one."

He picked up a spade and quickly filled the pan, which was deeper than a pie tin. He took the pan of soil down to the flowing water of the straggling brook and let it run into the pan.

He crushed the clods with his hands as the water dissolved them and the pan was soon full of sticky mud. Then he shook it steadily. At regular intervals he stopped and flicked away the top mud and let more water run into the pan.

"Ain't that good enough, Ossie?" the father asked impatiently shifting his gird of tobacco to his other cheek.

At first it looked as though only fine particles of sand remained in the pan, then the engineer could see the bright specks of yellow scattered in it.

"Tain't quite, Pap," Ossie answered. He repeated the operation once more and then handed the pan to Sande.

"About 6 cents' worth," judged Fetten looking into the pan. "Now let's try this pile of special dirt over here, Ossie."

Ossie agreeably turned his spade into a pile of dirt a few yards away. He filled the pan, wet it down and shook it. This pan took about six minutes to clarify also. When it was done, the boy handed it to Sande again, wiping his brow with the back of his brown hand as he did so.

"There's lots more this time," Christopher said excitedly. "Why this must be about five times as much!"

"Yep. 'Tis 'Bout 40 cents' worth there, mister," Fetten said jaconically. "Well, I figger this beats tryin' to farm for a livin'." The soil out here ain't fit for farmin' anyway. Tain't no good after you leave Shadow, if it is Miz Randolph."

"No, it really isn't," Tamar said. "Not up in these hills."

Christopher thanked the man and he and Tamar went back toward the car. Tamar picked up her shoes and set them aside. "We'll stop at the Chestnut and I'll wave a minute, so I can put my shoes back on. I might shock Phoebe if I came in barefooted with a young man."

They laughed and Christopher was remembering the feel of this girl in his arms as she had bumped into him on the stairs the afternoon before, at Shadow.

They retraced their tracks past the Fetten shack, and the children stood in a silent group while they drove by the gate. Tamar waved to them, and they hesitantly imitated her.

Tamar was glad when they got back to the main road. She indicated a place about a mile farther, and Christopher drove into the rutted car tracks down to the river. "Our favorite picnic spot," she said.

Before he could assist her, she was out of the car, and walking down to the shallow riffles. "It used to be an old ford, before the bridge was built," she called back.

He followed her and stood there while she stepped into the running water. He took out a large white handkerchief, and produced her shoes, which he had thoughtfully retrieved from the floor of the car.

"Oh, thanks." A sudden flush stained Tamar's cheek. She had forgotten to bring her shoes. He probably thought she was a very silly young lady. The flush deepened as she realized how unconventional she had been, not only in pulling off her shoes, but pausing here to bathe her feet.

She hastily wiped them and put her shoes on. Christopher was looking at the different species of trees on the river bank, stooping to pull up a bit of moss at the roots of one.

"Dad intended asking you for lunch," Tamar said. "Won't you stay?"

(To Be Continued)

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Count 1, you step forward on the right foot. Count 2, step forward on the right foot. But, on Count 3, don't move your feet! Simply shift weight back to left foot, raising right toe. On Count 4, shift weight forward to the right foot.

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The following booklets are also available at 10c each:

102—"Public Speaking Self-Taught."
118—"Good Table Manners."
110—"Hand-Made Gift Novelties."
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101—"Life Begins at Forty."
160—"Planning and Budgeting Wedding."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

RIGHT OR MIGHT?
If mankind had wished for what is right, they might have had it long ago.—William Hazlitt.

It has been said of the world's history hitherto that might makes right. It is for us and for our time to reverse the maxim, and to say that right makes might.—Abraham Lincoln.

God reigns, and will "turn and overturn" until right is found supreme.—Mary Baker Eddy.

So let it be. In God's own might We gird us for the coming fight. And, strong in Him whose cause is ours.

In conflict with unholy powers, We grasp the weapons He has given, The Light, and Truth, and Love of Heaven.—Whittier.

Nothing but the right can ever be expedient, since that can never be true expediency which would sacrifice a greater good to a less.—Whately.

No man has a right to do as he pleases, except when he pleases to do right.—Simmons.

Are Finding Out
London correspondents of American papers, who poked fun at and made frequent protests to our Service Censors, are now worried over the trials and tribulations of their own censorship. British newspapermen now get a sly satisfaction out of the troubles of their trans-Atlantic colleagues, and their discovery that the blue pencil is not peculiar to Senate House and Whitehall.

The official language of Liberia, independent Negro republic, is English.

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Canada's Base Metal Mines

Turning Out Record Quantities But Aim To Do Better

While Canadian civilians are being asked to conserve use of metals to help the war effort, base metal mines are taking further steps to increase available supply of those metals at the source. With exports of non-ferrous metals up almost 25 per cent. in the first 11 months of 1941 over the corresponding period in 1940, base metal mines have already been turning out record quantities, but they aim to do better still. Expansion called for under the Hyde Park agreement is expected to bring mineral production to a level hardly thought possible before the war.

The metal production picture in 1941 offers a striking contrast to that in 1917. Metal prices to-day on the average, are only half those existing in the last war, but quantities produced are tremendously greater. With actual production figures not available approximate increases over the first Great War period are estimated as follows: Copper, 750 per cent.; lead, 1,300 per cent.; nickel, 250 per cent.; zinc, 1,650 per cent. Certainly Canada's base metal industry has reason to be proud of its efforts in this war to save democracy.—Financial Post.

An Australian Hero

Private Became Target To Draw Enemy's Attention From Troops

The struggle between Australian and Japanese forces in western Malaya might well be described as "The Battle for the Roads" and brought to light an example of ultra-heroism among the defending forces.

A private, volunteered to expose himself as a target by walking along a road while his comrades crept along through rubber trees on each side of the road armed with small machine-guns. They blasted each tree that sniping fire came from and mopped up the nuisance area.

The heroic private fell wounded from one of the last enemy shots, but the injury proved not serious and he remained with his unit.

Peter Cooper, in building the "Tom Thumb," first steam locomotive to haul a passenger train in the United States, in 1830, used musket barrels for boiler tubes.

Drive out ACHES



Used Football Trick

United States Marines Surprised Japs Landing On Wake Island

The United States Marines on Wake Island employed a favorite football trick, the mousetrap, to sink a Japanese cruiser when the enemy attacked the small Pacific island.

Gridders often allow an impetuous enemy line man to break through their line when they are on the offensive, then they barge into him from the side, shove him out of the play and send a ball carrier through his vacated spot for a gain.

The Marines deliberately withheld their fire after the first few bombings and when the Japanese, believing all batteries had been silenced, moved toward shore in their cruiser, the Marines blew it out of the water with gunfire. It was the Devil's Dogs version of football's mouse-trapping.

Very Old School

Eton College was 501 years old on Dec. 6 last. A laurel wreath was placed on the statue of Henry VI, the founder, in the schoolyard, and the school had a full day's holiday.



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DOUBLE PROGRAM

LUPE VALEZ, in

"MEXICAN SPITFIRE OUT WEST"

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"LADDIE"

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 7, 9 and 10

Harold Bell Wright's Famous Novel

"Shepherd of the Hills"

in GLORIOUS TECHNICOLOR

starring HARRY CAREY

also NEWS, NOVELTY and CARTOON

Wednesday and Thursday, February 11 and 12

JUDY CANOVA, in

"Sis. Hopkins"

with BOB CROSBY and his Band.

also COMEDY and NOVELTY

Cole's Theatre, Bellevue

FRIDAY and SATURDAY ONLY, Feb. 6 and 7

Dorothy LAMOUR and Preston FOSTER, in

"Moon Over Burma"

also NEWS, NOVELTY and CARTOON

Local News

Jim Kellock, of Midnapore, visited friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Jack Nash entertained a number of ladies at an afternoon tea on Thursday.

Mrs. S. B. Ryan was hostess to a number of friends at an afternoon tea on Thursday.

Mrs. Dan Sprout and son, of Calgary, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rypien.

LAC Bob Emmerson, of Dartmouth, N.S., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Emmerson.

Victoria Rebekah lodge will hold their annual sale on Saturday, April 11. Please reserve this date.

See Harold Bell Wright's famous story "Shepherd of the Hills" filmed in technicolor at The Palace this week-end.

Mrs. James Kerr entertained at afternoon tea on Wednesday, Jan. 28, at her home. Twelve ladies were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Celli, of Cresson, returned to Coleman last week with Mrs. Floyd Celli and baby who had been their guests for a short time. Mrs. Celli and son, Floyd, later travelled to Calgary on business. Mr. Frank Celli will manage The Palm during his son's absence.

Births

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sikora on Monday, February 2, a son.
Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hammer on Monday, February 2, a daughter.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Steven William Panek on Saturday, January 31, a daughter.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Pittlar, of East Coleman, on Wednesday, February 4, a daughter.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the estate of Ernest Albert Gale late of Coleman, Alberta, engineer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Ernest Albert Gale, who died on the 5th day of October, 1941, are required to file with the undersigned by the 21st day of March, 1942, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1942.

T. J. COSTIGAN,
Solicitor for the administratrix,
Blairmore, Alberta

CIGARETTE FUND NOTES

\$64.15 was collected at the bank on Saturday.

A Christmas and New Year's greeting card was received by the committee from Ernest Kennedy stationed at Gibraltar.

Acknowledgment cards were received on Monday from George Burtnik, Jesse Hirst, J. R. Cousins, Ugo DeCecco, E. R. Kennedy.

Cards of acknowledgment were received this week from Cpl. G. Kroessing, A. L. McLeod, and Spr. J. R. Cousins.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—4 Room house, garage and lot on Fifth street. Apply to Alan Brown, west Coleman.

FOR SALE—6 room house on Sixth Street, garage. All fenced, on corner lot. Cheap for cash. Apply Journal Office.

WANTED—Loan of good heater for use of Victory Loan committee during campaign. Apply H. C. McBurney.

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Breakfast Suites \$67.50, \$69.50 and \$74.50
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The Purchase of Sugar is Now Regulated by Law

As a prudent precaution, the quantity of sugar which may lawfully be consumed in any household is now restricted by law to an amount of three-quarters of one pound per person per week, and it is now unlawful to purchase more than two weeks' supply at any one time or to make any purchase if present supplies are sufficient for more than two weeks.

This step has been taken to conserve the satisfactory reserve stock of sugar in Canada and is an assurance to the consumer that there is no reason for heavy buying of sugar.

Ration coupons will not be used to enforce the sugar limitations in Canada. The supply of sugar in our country has been under control for more than two and a half years and the housekeeper has always been able to satisfy her needs; she will continue to be able to do so and the price ceiling law protects her against any increase in price.

The maintenance of the new regulation governing the purchase of sugar rests, as the success of all laws in a democratic country must rest, upon the loyal support of the people. Any consumption of sugar in excess of the quantity stipulated by this regulation is not only an offence against the law, but is also a betrayal of the war effort and consequently an offence against decency.

Reports received from retailers indicate that in some districts there has been misunderstanding of the requirements of the law. In some cases, people are under the impression that they should at once lay in a sufficient supply for two weeks; this of course is not necessary because a continued supply of sugar is assured. In other cases it has been assumed that a greatly restricted ration is to be made effective in the near future. This is incorrect because The Wartime Prices and Trade Board has already stated that the sugar supply situation is such that requirements of the consumer at the rate of three-quarters of a pound per week can readily be supplied.

As a means of protecting consumers from unknowingly breaking the law, it is suggested to retailers that, for the present, they limit sales to any one customer to an amount of not more than five pounds.

Summary of Sugar Rationing Regulations

1. The ration is $\frac{3}{4}$ pounds per person per week, including adults, children and infants, members of the family, boarders, servants, and guests who remain for four days or more.
2. Purchase your sugar in the ordinary way, but not more than two weeks' supply at a time. No coupons, stamps or tickets are required.
3. Do not purchase any sugar if you have two weeks' or more supply on hand.
4. Persons in remote areas who are not able to buy every week or two weeks may continue to buy more than two weeks' supply at a time, but should measure their consumption at the ration rate, namely $\frac{3}{4}$ pounds per person per week.
5. Lumber camps and other firms providing board for their employees must see that consumption is restricted to $\frac{3}{4}$ pounds per week per person, effective immediately.
6. Economize on sugar in every way you can; some people can get along on less than the ration. Persons dining in hotels, restaurants, etc., are expected to restrict their sugar consumption.
7. Additional supplies of sugar will be made available for home preserving and canning.
8. The restriction applies only to cane and beet sugars of all kinds—granulated sugar, icing sugar, fruit sugar, brown sugar, raw sugar, etc.
9. Industrial users of sugar, hospitals and other institutions, hotels and restaurants, will be advised by the Sugar Administrator how the sugar restrictions will affect them.
10. Retailers are entitled to refuse sale or to limit sales to any person they have reason to believe is attempting to disregard this law.

Vigorous steps will be taken to punish wilful infractions of the law. The penalties provided are imprisonment for as long as two years and a fine up to \$5,000

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